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55 Hour Ramp Closures Re-Scheduled for I-80 Ramps 80 Across the Top project

SACRAMENTO – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is alerting motorists that the eastbound Interstate 80 on-ramp from Winters Street and the Longview Drive off-ramp will be open this weekend. The *55 hour closures* have been rescheduled for next weekend due to weather and equipment issues.

The interstate ramps will be closed next weekend from **10 p.m. Friday**, **March 20** through **5 a.m. Monday**, **March 23** for mainline pavement work and approach concrete slab work for the Del Paso Bridge as part of the *80 Across the Top project*.

These ramp closures will also include reducing the "Express Lanes" from 2 to 1 lane prior to Winters Street. Caltrans advises motorists to plan ahead for possible increased travel time or to use an alternate route.

Additionally, the eastbound I-80 work zone speed limit continues to be 55 miles per hour from the Sacramento River to Watt Avenue. Motorists are reminded to "Be Work Zone Alert" and "Slow for the Cone Zone."

Weather or other unexpected events may prolong the work or cause construction activities to be rescheduled. Caltrans will continue to update the public on changing conditions through social media.

For additional project information including detours go to www.80AcrossTheTop.com. For the latest highway traffic news, follow Caltrans District 3 on Twitter or like us on Facebook.

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